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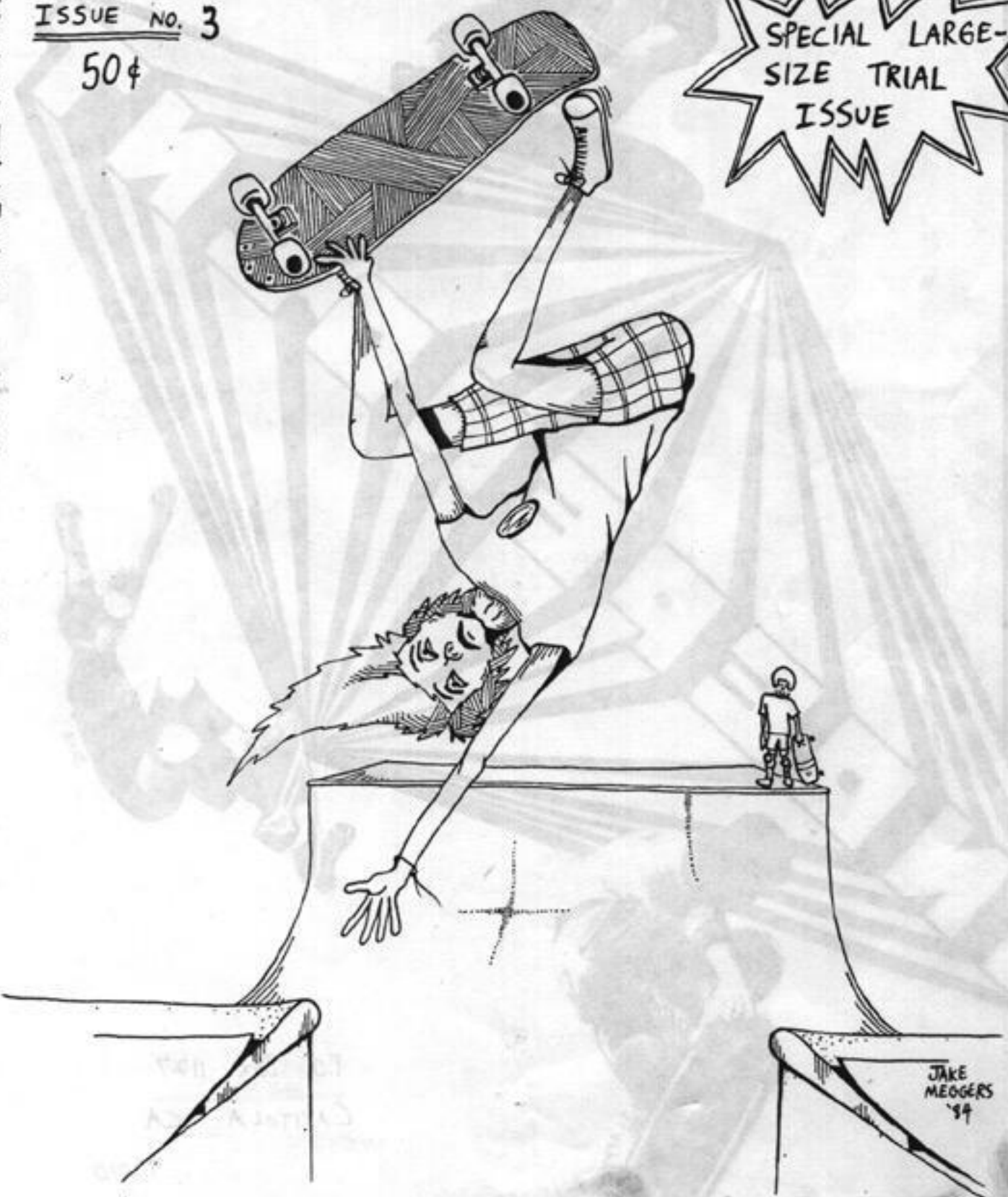

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Okay you damned skate sluts,

I just nabbed a copy of your recent ripoff & decided I'd had enuff! Now, I'll admit its a quality sheet + I was impressed, But I must say that this "Live to Skate: Skate or Die" shit has gone too far. Somewhere in this Carbon Globe that lies other things besides ramps & Decks. I know skating cool & loads of Fun, but I suggest a little equal time for us Anti-Creatures. I've been skatin since I was 5, before any of you Fucks got off your Trikes, but you dont see me killing time in baby pools.

I would like to add a little Anti-view page to your mag for a little equal time. Maybe scribble down a few lines of [redacted] mutual interest to all rads & not only to the skatewhores. We at SPT are sick of single mindedness + would like to enlighten you head-in-the-sand ostriches. Make a comment or Two about our views on undermining gov. policies, the need for nonconformism, & possibly show how that ramps dont compare to 50mph Downhill runs. You've got the only [redacted] V.G. Fuck book worth expressing ourselves in, so how about some credit. We'd apreciate it. So put your stonescraped skinheads together & send a reply TO:

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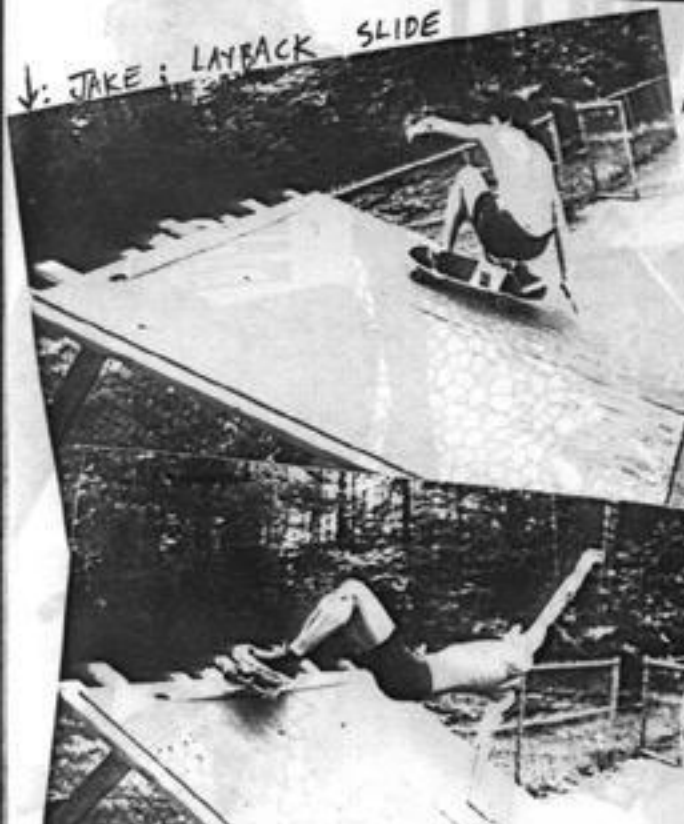
↓: JAKE ; LAYBACK SLIDE



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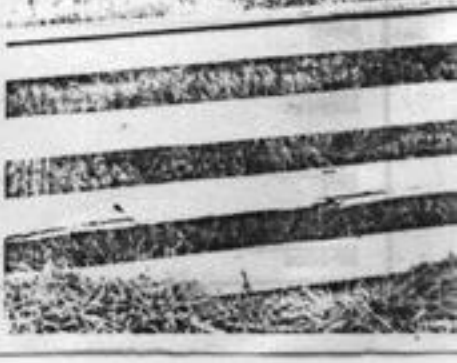
↓: DOUG "SLAPPY" PHILLIPS ; BANK GRIND

↓: JEFF ORR ; BANK GRIND

NUCLEAR YOUTH SKATE TEAM

↓: LEYTON PHILLIPS ; FENCE DROP

↓: JEF O. ; AXLE STALL



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↑: CRAZY "SLAPPY" AND EARLY AÜCHWITZ CREW.

A Return to Religion

Blood and Terror

Guerrillas Vs. Guerrillas

"The long-awaited offensive has begun. May the Lord God stand by us."

↓: "Just let me tighten up my trucks and we'll GRIND THE SHIT OUT OF ↘ THOSE COMMYSII

NEW USES FOR THE SPACE

FRY

↑: WHO IS THAT FOURTH MYSTERY GENERAL?

↑: LEGENDARY LESTER?

↑: NEW BRAND-X TEAM MEMBER?

OCEAN SPRINGS: THE CONTEST!

↑: BRIAN "SHORTY" WATSON

"SWAMP RAMP JAM"

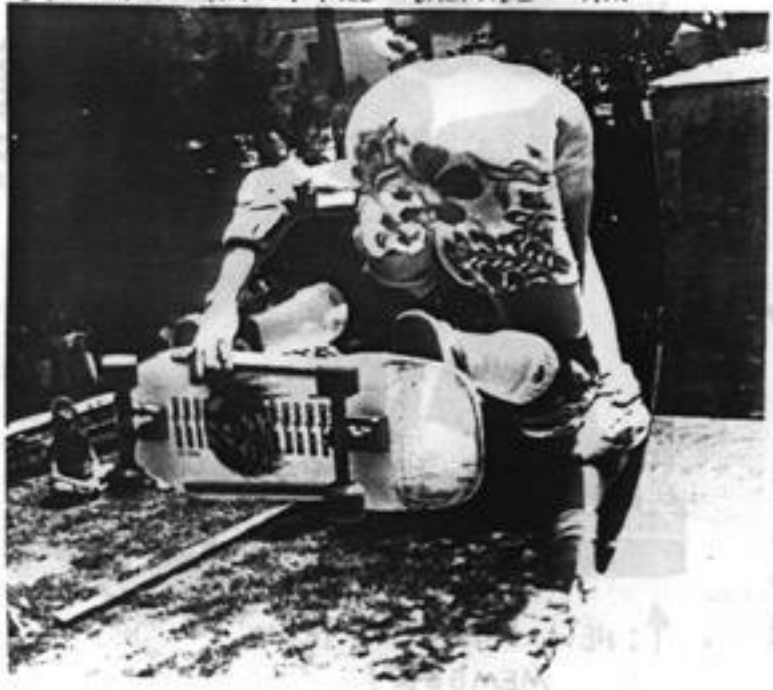
JUNE 9, 1984

WELL, LINDSEY HAS DONE IT AGAIN. ANOTHER CONTEST, EVEN BIGGER AND BETTER THAN ALL BEFORE. THIS WAS THE "SWAMP RAMP JAM", AND IT RIPPED SOOOO BAD. IT WAS HOT! IT STARTED OFF FOR US THE MORNING BEFORE THE CONTEST. WE SHOWED UP IN THE MORNING AND HUNG AROUND SESSIONING WITH THE LOCALS ALL DAY. THAT NIGHT — NOTHING BUT A PRIVATE TENT-PARTY. WELL, THE NEXT DAY WAS DIFFERENT. WE SHOWED UP AT 10:00 AM AND THE SESSIONING HAD ALREADY BEGUN. LOUD TUNES, LOTS OF LOCAL SURF POSEURS ON HAND TO "COTCH THE BITCHEN SHOOOW, MON".

ANY, THE PENSACOLA CREW, MOBILE CREW, US AND SLIDELL CREW WERE READY TO SHRED WHEN UP FROM THE DEPTHS OF NOWHERE CAME MONTY NOLDER, PAUL SCHMITT, CHUCK HOLTZ AND STEVE HILTON. INTENSE SESSIONING WOULD FOLLOW. * CHECK OUT "RIPPING LIKE HELL".

↑: DANA BUCK: SWEETER

↓: LINDSEY KUHN: NICE BACKSIDE AIR



THE FIASCO WAS FINALLY UNDERWAY WITH BUCKIT AS MC. HE'S GREAT, AND HE CAN SKATE TOO! (AND PARTY TOO). THE DAY WAS HOT AND EVERYONE FRIED IN THE SUN. THE YOUNGEST GROUP SKATED FIRST IN A 12 MINUTE JAM. "SHORTY" WAS REALLY RIPPING AND THE BREAK * DANCER HIMSELF RIPPED TOO

PAUL "BUCKIT" BUCK: CHANNEL PLANT

THE JUDGES: L TO R — STEVE BYARS, CHUCK HOLTZ, AND STEVE HILTON.

WHEN I SAY BREAK DANCER I AM REFERRING TO JEFF MAGER. HE'S COOL THOUGH. DUANE HOLTZ ALSO SKATED REALLY GOOD. THERE WERE 8 INTRANTS AND ALL DID WELL.

IN THE MIDDLE DIVISION, 16-18 YEARS, THERE WERE 5 INTRANTS. GREG BLOODWORTH BLAZED HIS WAY TO FIRST WITH ULTRA-STYLISH AIRS AND INVERTS. DAN VAN DE MARK HAD A FEW MOVES IN HIS MAD RATS.

THE SUN BEAT DOWN UPON THE SKATERS, BUT WE DIDNT SLOW DOWN. THE 19 YEARS AND OVER DIVISION HAD 3 INTRANTS, ALL OF WHICH DID THEIR BEST AND WERE REAL CLOSE SKILL-WISE.

IT WAS A KILLER BLAST AND AFTERWARDS EVERYONE SESSIONED MORE. THANX TO ALL SPONSORS, THE KUHN'S, BUCKIT, AND EVERYONE WHO SHOWED UP TO MAKE THIS THE GNARLIEST CONTEST.

* JAKE MEGGERS
(PASSED MY DEADLINE)

SCOTT LEWIS: FRONTSIDE AIR

JAKE MEGGERS: BACKSIDE ENTRY

DAN VAN DE MARK: CANYON JUMP

STEVE HILTON: HANDPLANT

GREG BLOODWORTH: BACKSIDE AIR

RESULTS:

15 & UNDER:

JEFF MAGER
BRIAN WATSON
DUANE HOLTZ
BRAD ALBRIGHT
MIKE BLACK
GREG ELDER
ADAM KENDIG
GLEN JONES

16 - 18:

GREG BLOODWORTH
DAN VAN DE MARK
RANDY MCDANNALD
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DAVID BOX

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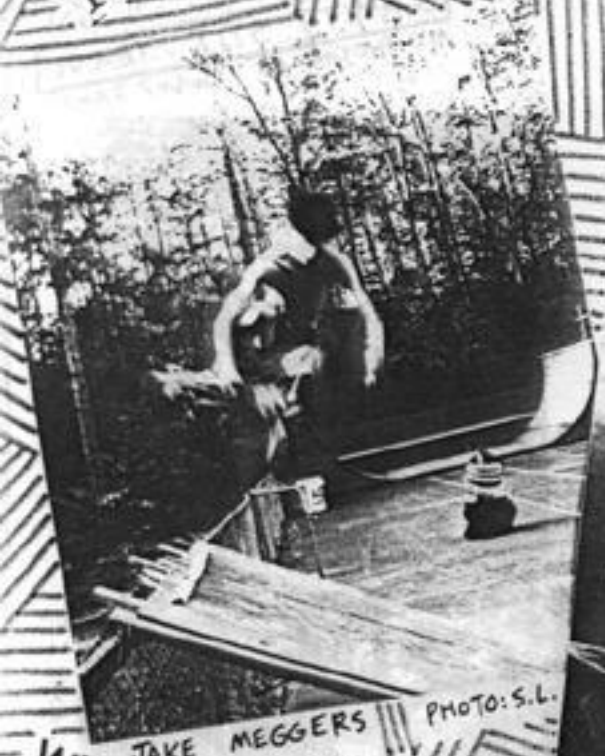

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PHOTOS: JAKE & LEYTON.

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ALL PHOTOS AT "SWAMP RAMP"

↓: KILLER BACKSIDE HANDPLANT.

↑: BACKSIDE AIR (CHANNEL FLIGHT).

↓: FRONTSIDE CHANNEL AIR.

↓: SWEEPER.

↑: BACKSIDE AIR.

↓: BACKSIDE BONELESS ONE.

↓: BACKSIDE CHANNEL OLLIE.

↑: ROCK-N-ROLL.

↓: TAIL-TAP GRIND KIND OF TRICK.

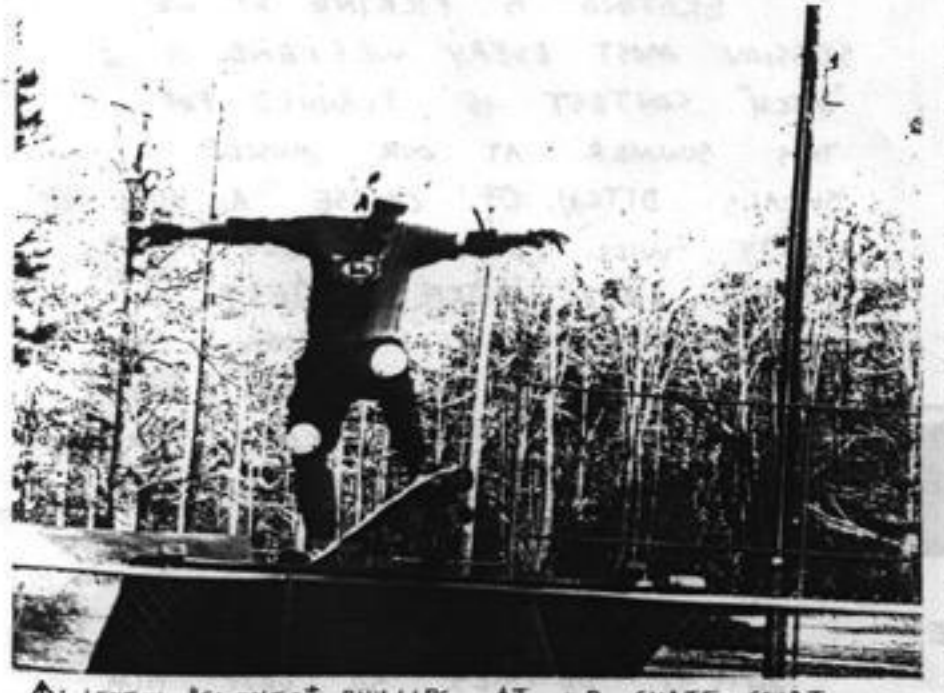
EQUIPMENT UPDATE

DECKS AND SHIT.

WHAT'S UP SKATEHEADS? THIS IS ME AGAIN, YES, IT'S YOUR CONSUMER SKATEDOG WITH THE LATEST UPDATES ON COOL EQUIPTMENT. SCINCE I DID THE INDY 215'S LAST MONTH, I DECIDED TO SWITCH TO DECKS.

BRAND-X / X-CON

BRAND-X HAS BEEN PUTTING OUT SOME KILLER DECKS LATELY, AND THEN THEY TURN AROUND AND COME OUT WITH A NEW ONE EVEN MORE KILLER! THIS, OF COURSE, IS THE X-CON. THIS DECK HAS GOT TO HAVE THE WILDEST, 3D-INGEST, MIND BLOWING GRAPHICS ON THE MARKET. THEY USE 10 colors IN THE DESIGN. THE DECK HAS NO FLEX AND 7 LAMINATIONS BUT STILL REMAINS TO STAY LITE AND NOT FALL INTO THE LEAD SLED CATAGORY. THIS DECK WILL HOLD UP UNDER ALMOST ANY THING YOU COULD DO TO IT. ISN'T THAT RIGHT JAKE? THIS IS REALLY A KILLER BOARD FROM BRAND-X, SO CHECK IT OUT BECAUSE IT'S RADICAL AS HELL. TILL NEXT TIME.....



↑: LEYTON "SLEYTO" PHILLIPS AT OUR SKATE COURT.

SKATE TOUGH

AND DONT BUY SHITTY EQUIPTMENT SOLD BY POSEURS!

CONSUMER SKATE DOG AND NUCLEAR YOUTH MEMBER,

* LEYTON PHILLIPS

Hi. THIS IS JAKE ADDING IN A FEW LAST COMMENTS ON STUFF. DOWN AT "SWAMP JAM" I GOT TO TRY OUT THE NEW SCHMITT STIX BOARDS BEING PEDDLED OUT BY PAUL SCHMITT HIMSELF. THEY WERE THE "TARAMPULA" FOAM-CORE DECK AND THE "ATV". I THOUGHT THE "ATV" SUCKED BUT I LOVED THE FOAM-CORED, LIGHT-AS-SHIT "TARAMPULA". IT WAS GREAT-FEELING AND LITE, BUT I SAW STEVE HILTON BREAK ONE IN HALF NOT DOING SHIT. ANYWAY, BE CHOOSY (OR BE A LOSER).

TM

A LITTLE TOUCH OF FREESTYLE

SKATER: JAKE MEGGERS PHOTOS: SCOTT LIPSEY

ALABAMA

SCENE UPDATE....

SKATING IS PICKING UP. WE SESSION MOST EVERY WEEKEND. A "DITCH" CONTEST IS PLANNED FOR THIS SUMMER AT OUR MUSCLE SHOALS DITCH. OF COURSE A HUGE PARTY WILL FOLLOW. I TOOK FIRST IN THE LAST "DITCH CONTEST 2 YEARS AGO. WHO WILL REIGN THIS YEAR? ONLY THE 'SKATE GODS' KNOW.

THERE IS NEW SKATE TERRAIN IN FLORENCE. 3 ¼ PIPES POSITIONED IN AN ABANDONED WAREHOUSE; VERY SKATEABLE IN ANY WEATHER. PATRICK WACHTER HAS THE CONTEST DETAILS, SO DROP HIM A LINE. OH, AND SKATE LIKE THERE'S NO TOMMORROW!

↑: TYLER LEDBETTER AT "THE DITCH" IN FLORENCE ALABAMA.

PATRICK WACHTER
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↓: JAKE

WET POOL PARTY

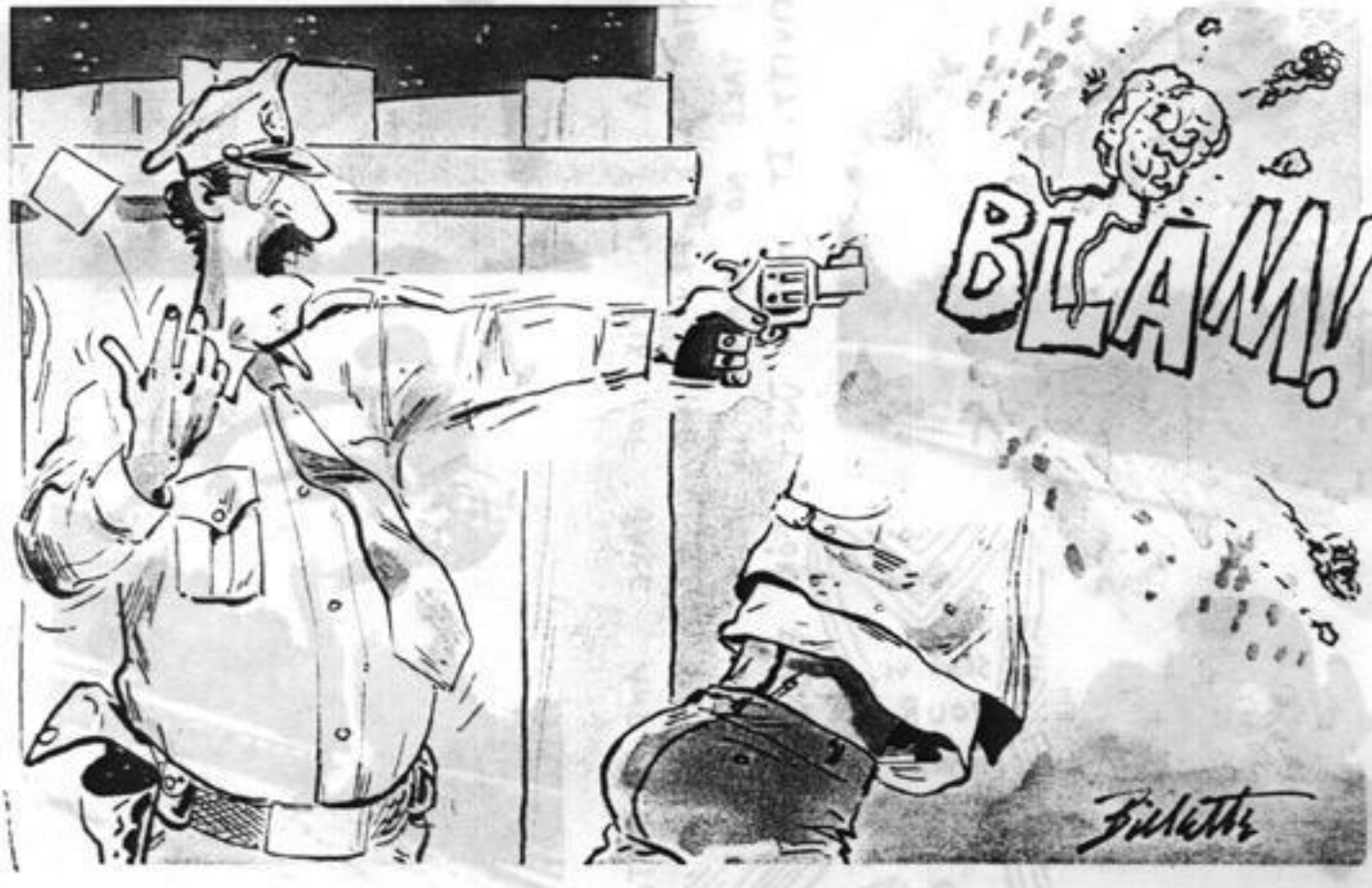
←: LEYTON

THESE ARE JUST A FEW PIX OF JAKE AND LEYTON TRYING TO SKATE AND NOT FRY LIKE ——*—— AT THE SAME TIME. WE TAKE NO CLAIM IN THE INVENTION OF THIS ACTIVITY. IT WAS JUST FOR FUN. BYE

SEND US YOUR INSANE PIX. WE CRAVE!

POOL · INDY · FLIGHT

"You have the sight . . . no . . . you have the right to remain violent . . . no . . . you have the might to retain . . ."



"Oh, fuck it!"